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TAGS: SENV, TECH, FR

SUBJECT: PROPOSED FRANCO-AMERICAN COOPERATIVE PROJECT IN  
SOLAR ENERGY

REFERENCE: A. PARIS 35838 B. ERDA/CNRS SOLAR MOU OF  
MAY 7, 1976

1. ERDA STRONGLY SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATIVE  
FRANCO-AMERICAN PROGRAM OUTLINED REF A TO STUDY PREVENTION  
OF AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS/PILOT INJURIES RESULTING FROM  
HELIOSTAT'S REFLECTION OF SUN'S RAY'S INTO PILOT'S EYES.

2. IT IS ENVISIONED THAT PROBLEM OF GLINT/GLARE RESULTING  
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FROM OPERATION OF SOLAR ELECTRIC POWER PLANTS WOULD BE  
STUDIED EXPERIMENTALLY AT BOTH CNRS SOLAR FURNACE AT  
ODEILLO, FRANCE, AND ERDA SOLAR THERMAL TEST FACILITY AT  
ALBUQUERQUE, NM.

3. DETAILS OF PROPOSED COOPERATION SHOULD BE DEVELOPED BY  
JOINT ERDA/CNRS COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY SECTION III OF

ERDA/CNRS SOLAR MOU, REF B, AND SUBMITTED TO ERDA AND CNRS  
FOR NEGOTIATION OF FURTHER AGREEMENT AS CONTEMPLATED BY  
SECTION II, PARA 4 OF ERDA/CNRS SOLAR MOU, REF B.  
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